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WEEKLY BULLETIN of ST MARY'S SHRINE

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Served by the Priestly Fraternity of St Peter by appointment of the RC Archdiocese of Liverpool

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WELCOME TO ST MARY'S SHRINE!

7/7 Holy Masses: Sunday 11:00am & 6pm; Mon-Sat 12:10pm daily.

Confessions 30mins before every Mass every day – including from 5:30pm before 6:00pm Sunday Mass and on Saturdays 10:00am-11:45am during Eucharistic Adoration.

Daily Rosary 11:30am Mon-Fri, 11am Sat. Followed by the Angelus.

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Safeguarding: Children, teenagers and vulnerable adults must be accompanied or supervised at all times within the Shrine. **If you have concerns, please contact the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Department** on 0151 522 1043 or e-mail safeguarding@rcaol.co.uk Thank you for your awareness.

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sun 4	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	11am Sung 6pm	Brenda Hancox Protection of all our Priests
Mon 5	Feria II in 2 nd week of Advent	7am Rorate 12:10pm	Kevin King Colin Jones
Tues 6	St Nicholas, Bishop & Confessor	12:10pm	Tracy McNicholas
Wed 7	St Ambrose, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor	12:10pm	Basil Corcoran, RIP
Thur 8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception	12:10pm 7:30pm Solemn	Grace Maria King Francine Hanna
Fri 9	Feria VI in 2 nd week of Advent	12:10pm	Private Intention (JL)
Sat 10	Eucharistic Adoration for all Translation of the Holy House of Loretto	10-12noon 12:10pm	For the Sanctification of Families Paula Moore
Sun 11	GAUDETE SUNDAY: 3rd OF ADVENT	11am Sung 6pm	Mary Staddon Harry & Teresa Webster

SUNG VESPERS—5pm, each Sunday in Advent: 4, 11 & 18 Dec. All welcome.

Please join us for this ancient public prayer of the Church, so pleasing to Heaven and bringing peace on earth. Five mighty Psalms with their antiphons plus a hymn, the Magnificat and an Oration.

£437 given in November offerings for the Holy Souls.

We will find a way to put your kindness to the further good of the shrine and will report it here.

Choir First—for Holy Communion

At Sung Masses (e.g. 11am on Sundays), please let members of the choir come first for Holy Communion. Please leave enough space for a dozen people at the right end of the altar rails (in front of the English Martyrs chapel). Having received the Sacrament, they will return to the choir to sing.

Vocations Weekend: Friday 2 - Sunday 4 Dec

Please pray to the Holy Spirit to help the young men attending our Vocations Weekend to discern truly what God asks of them, and to be generous in their response.

Holy Communion Reminder:

- To receive Holy Communion, one must be 1) a Roman Catholic 2) in state of grace (no grave sin unabsolved on one's conscience) and 3) have fasted for at least one hour.
- In the traditional Latin rite used at St Mary's, Holy Communion is received kneeling (if one can), and in any case on the tongue: thank you very much in advance.
- Please **use the entire width of the Communion rail**, from one wall of the church all the way to the opposite wall, avoiding any gaps. This will make distribution quicker. Thank you.

☞ **Did you know? St Mary's Shrine costs £1,444 a week to run and maintain, but our current income is £835 per week. Please give generously!**

Two more Rorate Masses—7am Mondays in Advent: 5 & 12 Dec

Candlelit Holy Mass: in pre-dawn darkness and stillness we await for the Nativity of our Lord, the Light of the world, and we offer praise to God for the gift of Our Lady. As the Rorate Mass is a Votive Mass of the Blessed Virgin, it is celebrated in white, rather than Advent violet. (The 12:10pm Mass will take place too.)

Save the dates

- Wednesday Discussion, 7 Dec, 7pm. Bring your (difficult!) questions on the Scriptures. Including discussion of Mt 5:37 and 1 Cor 1:12 in relation to *Amoris Laetitia*. Followed by Compline.
- Family Catechism Day, Thursday 15 Dec. 1-3pm. Part III of Thomas' *Lord of the Rings* trilogy.
- Young Adults Group, Saturday 17 Dec. 12:10 Holy Mass followed by lunch. 2pm talk by Fr JM entitled "*Who is the Lord Who is Coming? Answers in the O Antiphons*".
- Clergy Evening, Wednesday 21 Dec. 7pm talk by Fr AdM for priests, deacons and seminarians.

Carol Singing for All: Thursday 22 Dec, 6pm @ Applecourt Nursing Home

After their well-earned Christmas party, St Mary's junior choir will be carol singing at Nursing Home, 76 Church St, Warrington WA1 2TH (near Sainsbury's) from 6pm on Thursday 22nd December. All welcome to join in! Meet outside the entrance of the home.



Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of Our Lady: Thursday 8 Dec

Blessing and imposition of Miraculous medals after 12.10pm Mass and 7.30pm Solemn High Mass. In preparation for this great feast, a novena will be prayed after each Mass from 29 Nov to 7 Dec:

V. In thy conception, O Virgin, thou wast immaculate.

R. Pray for us to the Father, Whose Son thou didst bring forth.

Let us pray: O God, Who by the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin, didst prepare for Thy Son a worthy habitation, we beseech Thee, that as Thou didst preserve her from every stain by the foreseen death of this Thy Son, so Thou wouldst grant that we also being cleansed from guilt by her intercession, may come to Thee. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Protectress of the Unborn, Monday 12 Dec

Special 7am candlelit Mass; 11.00am Meditated Rosary for Unborn Life & Veneration of Our Lady's picture with Litanies, followed by 12.10pm Mass of Our Lady of Guadalupe with homily.

St Mary's Shrine Christmas Appeal—Burma

A second collection will be held on Sunday 11th December for St Mary's Christmas Appeal for Burma. £675 has already been donated—thank you to those who have given. For more information, please ask Fr Mawdsley or visit our blog: www.stmaryswarrington.org.uk